

***United States Court of Appeals
for the Second Circuit***



APPENDIX

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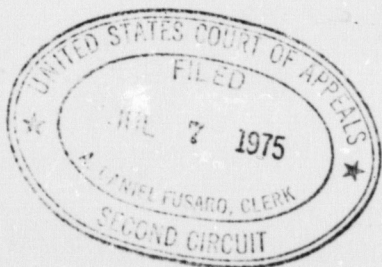
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
PLAINTIFF - APPELLEE

VS

RONALD DI STASSIO
DEFENDANT - APPELLANT

APPENDIX OF DEFENDANT - APPELLANT
RONALD DI STASSIO



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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF CONNECTICUT

United States District of Connecticut
FILED AT HARTFORD
4/9 1974
Silvester A. L. Nowak, Clerk
by: J. J. O. Deputy Clerk

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)

v.)

FRANK MESSENGER ✓)
RONALD DI STASSIO 142)

CRIMINAL NO. B74 / 26

INDICTMENT

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES:

COUNT ONE

On or about March 1, 1973, the exact date being unknown to the grand jury, at Bridgeport, Connecticut, in the District of Connecticut. Ronald DiStassio, a defendant herein, knowingly participated in the use of extortionate means within the meaning of Section 891(7), Title 18, United States Code, to attempt to collect from John Allicki, the debtor, an extension of credit, in the approximate amount of \$1,500 to wit; the defendant, Ronald DiStassio, expressly and implicitly, by use of a telephone call, threatened the use of violence and other criminal means to cause harm to the persons of John Allicki, the victim, Phyllis Allicki, his wife, and the family thereof.

All in violation of Section 894, Title 18, United States Code.

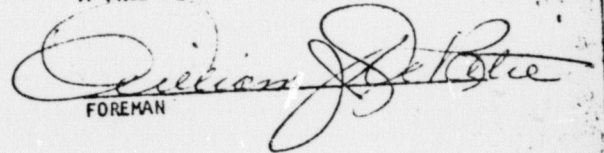
COUNT TWO

On or about October 4, 1973 at approximately 11:30 a.m. at 546 Garfield Avenue, Bridgeport, Connecticut, Ronald DiStassio and Frank Messenger, the defendants herein, knowingly participated in the use of extortionate means, within the meaning of Section 891(7), Title 18, United States Code, to attempt to collect from John Allicki, the debtor, an extension of credit, in the approximate amount of \$1,500, to wit; the defendants, Ronald DiStassio and Frank Messenger expressly and implicitly threatened the use of violence and other criminal means, and did use violence and other criminal means, designed to cause harm to the person and property of John Allicki, the victim,

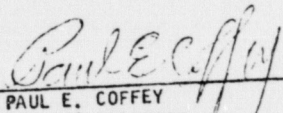
Phyllis Allick, his wife, and the family thereof, in that the aforementioned defendants set fire to the debtor's car, a 1966 white Buick Riviera, Connecticut marker HM 9934.

All in violation of Section 894, Title 18, United States Code.

A TRUE BILL


FOREMAN

STEWART H. JONES
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Special Attorney
U.S. Department of Justice



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BRIDGEPORT

United States of America
v.
RONALD DI STASSIO

DISTRICT OF CONNECTICUT

No. B-74-26 Criminal VEN. CONN.

On this 24th day of March, 1975 came the attorney for the government and the defendant appeared in person and by counsel

IT IS ADJUDGED that the defendant upon his plea of not guilty and a verdict of guilty has been convicted of the offense of violation of Title 18, Section 894, of the United States Code (knowingly participated in the use of extortionate means to attempt to collect from another, an extension of credit, by use of telephone call to threaten another and participated in the use of extortionate means to attempt to collect from another, an extension of credit, by destruction of property)

as charged in Counts One and Two.
and the court having asked the defendant whether he has anything to say why judgment should not be pronounced, and no sufficient cause to the contrary being shown or appearing to the Court,

IT IS ADJUDGED that the defendant is guilty as charged and convicted.

IT IS ADJUDGED that the defendant is hereby committed to the custody of the Attorney General or his authorized representative for imprisonment for a period of four (4) years on Counts One and Two. The sentence imposed on Count Two is to run concurrently with the sentence imposed on Count One.

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IT IS ORDERED that the Clerk deliver a certified copy of this judgment and commitment to the United States Marshal or other qualified officer and that the copy serve as the commitment of the defendant.

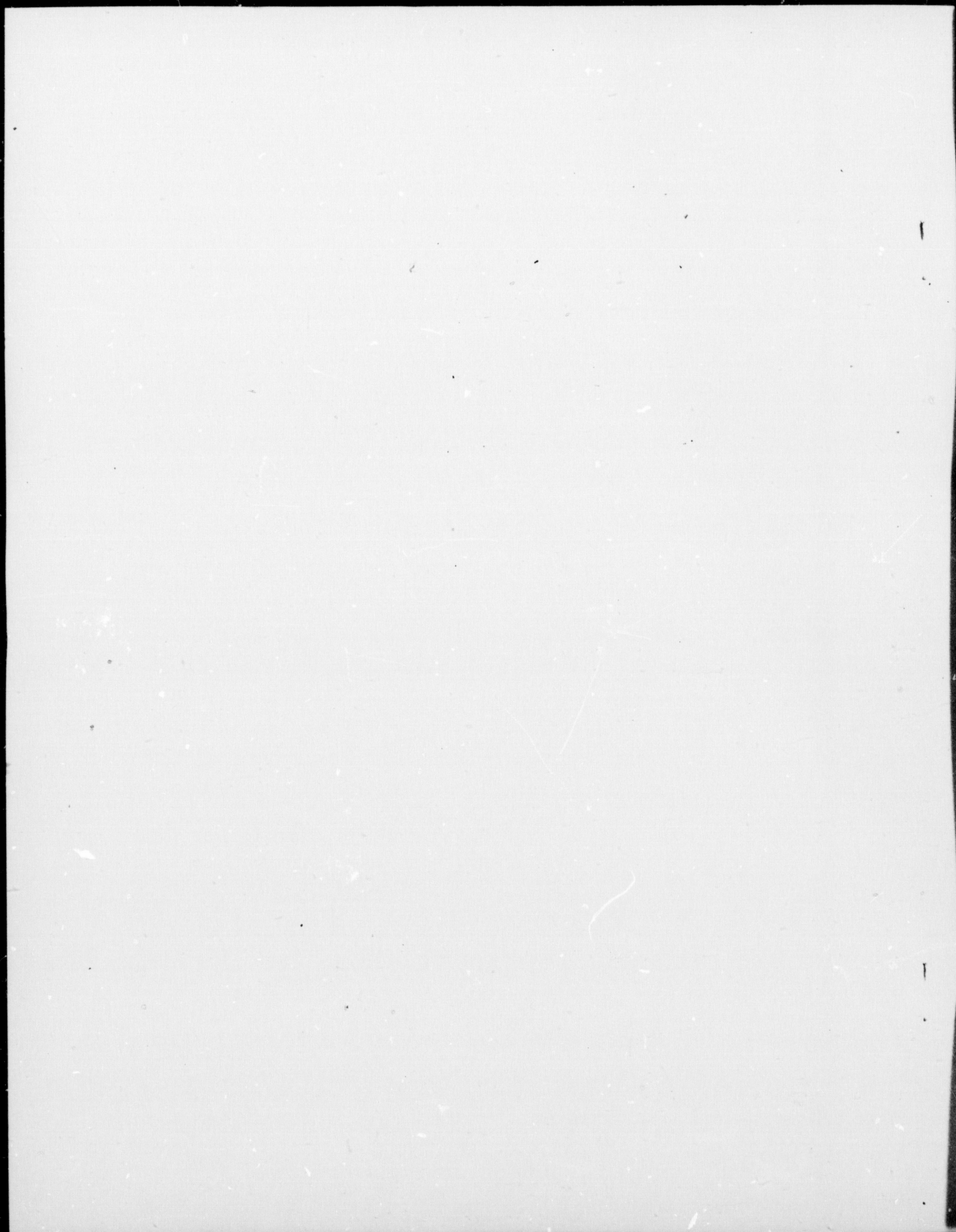
Robert C. Jazgum
United States District Judge.

The Court recommends commitment to

Clerk.

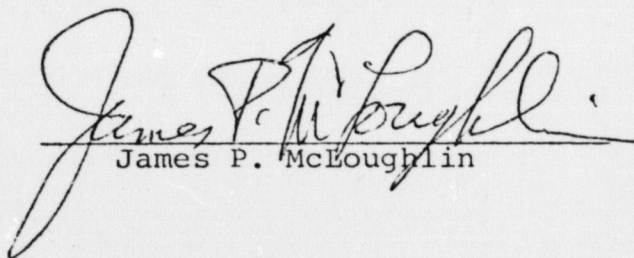
Insert: "by [name of counsel, counsel] or without counsel; the court advised the defendant of his rights to counsel and asked him whether he desired to have counsel appointed by the court, and the defendant thereupon stated that he waived the right to the assistance of counsel." Insert (1) "guilty and the court being satisfied there is a factual basis for the plea," (2) "not guilty, and a verdict of guilty," (3) "not guilty, and a finding of guilty," or (4) "nolo contendere," as the case may be. Insert "in count(s) number ____." If required, Enter (1) sentence or sentences specifying counts if any; (2) whether sentences are to run concurrently or consecutively and if consecutively, when each term is to begin with reference to termination of preceding term or to any other outstanding unserved sentence; (3) whether defendant is to be further imprisoned until payment of the fine or fines and costs, or until he is otherwise discharged as provided by law. Enter any order with respect to suspension and probation. For use of Court to recommend a particular institution.

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CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that on July 3, 1975 a copy of this appendix was mailed first class postage prepaid to the Office of the United States Attorney, 141 Church Street, New Haven, Connecticut and to Peter Casey, Special Assistant U. S. Attorney, 450 Main Street, Hartford, Connecticut.


James P. McLoughlin

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